

THE WAY WE DO THINGS, NOT THE WAY WE SAY THINGS, IS NEARLY ALWAYS THE MEASURE OF OUR SINCERITY. — Franklin D. Roosevelt

# The BETHEL OXFORD CITIZEN

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## TWO LOSE LIVES WHEN FIRE DESTROYS VERNON ST. HOME SUNDAY

A Bethel woman and her 5-year-old daughter perished in a mid-afternoon blaze Sunday that destroyed their home on Vernon Street.

Prone to death at the scene by reason of asphyxiation and fire by Dr. Rex Martin of Harrison, county medical examiner, were Mrs. Mary Howard, 25, who was seven months pregnant, and her daughter, Lisa Mae.

Mrs. Howard and the youngster were apparently sleeping when the fire broke out. When Bethel fire department arrived at the scene, it was reported that they were unaware that someone was inside until informed by neighbors. As soon as possible the firefighters with air-packs entered the burning dwelling. The mother's body was discovered on the floor of the northwest bedroom and the child's body on the floor of the northeast bedroom.

The fire was believed to have started from an overheated wood stove. Loss of the gutted one-story four-room house was estimated at \$7,000.

Investigating at the scene were Oxford County Deputy Sheriff Joseph Smallwood and Bethel Officer Robert Searns.

Mr. Howard was reportedly at work in the woods at Andover when the fire tragedy occurred.

Mrs. Howard was born at Rumford, Aug. 30, 1946, the daughter of Mrs. Esther Sweetser and Henry continued on Page Ten

## SPECIAL MEETING OF HISTORICAL SOCIETY TONIGHT

There will be a special meeting of the Bethel Historical Society this Thursday evening, Dec. 9 at 7:30 in the Casco Bank Community Room. This meeting is to vote on a By-law amendment. Members are urged to attend.

## REHEARSALS SET FOR LIVING NATIVITY CHORUS

Chorus director, Mrs. Mary Brown, has announced rehearsal dates for chorus members participating in Bethel's Living Nativity Pageant to be presented on the Common on Sunday, Dec. 10.

On Sunday, Dec. 12, the chorus will meet at 6:30 p. m. at the Congregational Church. Also the full rehearsals to be held Wednesday, Dec. 15, at 7 p. m. at Telstar Regional High School and Saturday, Dec. 18, at 4:30 at the Common, will include all chorus members.

## C. OF C. SPONSORS HOUSE DECORATING CONTEST

Bethel Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a Christmas House decorating contest. Judges Doc Hudson, Nate Nichols and Ed Ferron will view houses and award the prizes Friday, Dec. 17, starting at 7 p. m. People outside of town who wish to enter the contest should call one of the judges prior to Friday.

Prizes awarded will be a rocking chair donated by the Heartstone House, dinners for two donated by Bethel Spa and the Sudbury and two money prizes donated by the Chamber of Commerce.

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## COMMENTS FROM THE OFFICE OF THE TOWN MANAGER

As of Dec. 1, 87% of the 1971 taxes had been collected. Discounts allowed for taxes paid prior to Sept. 1 amounted to nearly \$4,400. Indications are another year if discounts are allowed we will receive more revenue prior to Sept. 1 as there were some taxpayers who were not aware of the discount. Also many felt, if they had money in a bank paying 5% interest per year, they were better off to leave it to collect three-quarters of a year's interest rather than take advantage of the 2% we offered. Actually if they had left their funds in the bank for one-half the year, then paid the town they would have gained as each quarter is worth 1 1/4% as opposed to the 2% we were giving.

We have been able to pay all the county tax plus the other commitment we have each year. Temporary loan of \$180,000 are still outstanding. Elwyn N. Dickey

## TELSTAR MUSIC DEPARTMENT TO PRESENT CHRISTMAS CONCERT DEC. 16

The Telstar music department will present its annual Christmas Concert Thursday, Dec. 16, at 7:30 in the Telstar Auditorium. There will be four performing groups participating this year: the Junior Chorus, Junior Band, Senior Chorus, and Senior Band. Music will include Christmas, semi-classical, and popular selections. The public is cordially invited.

## DON'T MISS YOUR CHANCE TO BE HEARD

Just a reminder to please return your Elementary School Questionnaire—the green sheet you received in the S. A. D. 41 Newsletter. The schools are your schools, and your children's needs can be answered only if you make them known. Schools are always trying to serve the community better.

Under the Community Resources section we are also interested in individual talents, such as: knitting, crocheting, embroidery, sewing, wood carving and wood working, musical abilities, artistic abilities, and any other crafts, etc. Thank you for caring about our children's education.

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## LIVING NATIVITY SCENE TO BE PRESENTED SUNDAY, DEC. 19

The community's eighth annual Living Nativity Scene will take place on Sunday, Dec. 19, on the Bethel Common in two presentations: 4:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Sarah Stevens, chairman and Burnie Morrill, co-chairman, said arrangements were completed at a meeting held Sunday at the home of pageant director, Mrs. Sue Farrar. A committee is still needed to prepare the supper for the cast and workers following the pageant. Anyone who wishes to volunteer for this project, or to help on any committee, is invited to contact the chairman.

Pageant rehearsals have been set as follows: Sunday, Dec. 12, at 4:30 p. m. at Sue Farrar's Studio for the cast and narrator; Wednesday, Dec. 15, at 7 p. m. at Telstar Regional High School for the cast, narrator, and chorus; and Saturday, Dec. 18, at 4:30 p. m. at the fire station, for all participants.

Other committee assignments are as follows: assistant director, Edward Ferron; narrator, Rev. Thomas Calton; choir director, Mrs. Mary Brown; snow removal and traffic control, Elwyn Dickey; general lighting, Roy Barker; special lighting and make-up, Telstar Drama

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## LIVING NATIVITY SCENE SET FOR DEC. 19

Heading the planning arrangements for this year's pageant are Burnie Morrill, co-chairman, and Mrs. Sarah Stevens, chairman.

## SNOW TWISTERS TO MEET NEXT MONDAY EVENING

The Bethel Snow Twisters will meet Monday, Dec. 13, at 7:30 p. m. at the Casco Bank Community Room.

Membership dues are now due. The dues are \$5 per family. This entitles the head of the household to be a member of the Maine Snowmobile Association, with insurance benefits. This membership runs from Oct. 1, 1971 to Oct. 1, 1972.

Club under direction of Mrs. Helen Berry; construction of stable, Romeo Baker and Bethel Boy Scouts; animals and transportation, Dr. James Hudson and Bruce Bailey; nativity decorations, Lucia Smith; costumes, Mrs. Peg Crosbie; properties, Mrs. Arlene Brown; telephoner, Mrs. Nancy Morrill; refreshments between pageants for cast and workers, Ladies Auxiliary of the Bethel Fire Department; publicity, Rosabelle Tift; placement of guiding stars, Alton Luntton and Crescent Park School children; cleanup committee, Mrs. Annette Carver.

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## REGULAR MEETING OF S.A.D. 44 BOARD HELD AT BISBEE SCHOOL

The board of directors of S. A. D. 44 met in regular session at the Ethel Bisbee School on Monday evening of this week.

In the citizens' portion of the meeting Dan Manson cited the need for teacher aides in the kindergarten and first grade rooms at Ethel Bisbee School and hoped that the board would avail themselves of the opportunity provided by the Emergency Employment Act to secure them. Bill Cousins, director from Bethel, commented that Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Calton had contacted him expressing much the same thoughts as Mr. Manson.

Mrs. Andrea Wing of Woodstock asked that consideration be given to changing the varsity basketball practice from its present 6:30-8:30 p. m. time slot as it causes an undue expense because of the distance of her family's residence from Telstar. Brian Flynn, Telstar principal, stated that it was recognized that the practice time causes a hardship in two or three cases but it is thought to be the fairest when the total student body is considered.

Reporting for the Teacher-Administration Liaison Committee Dale Thurston of Bethel said that this group has decided not to meet again formally until March 28, 1972. In the interim it will function on a building to building basis between the principal and the building representative.

The board granted final approval to a change in the transportation policy. The change limits district-provided transportation after 5:30 to students participating in a scheduled interscholastic athletic event on a normal school day. Participants will be transported to a point nearest their home. Student spectators may be transported on this bus on a space-available basis to a central drop-off point, provided no additional district expense is involved. The policy change eliminates transportation.

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## LOCKE MILLS

Mrs. John Mills, Corres.

The Locke Mills Youth group is presenting a Christmas pageant (The Holy Nativity) at the Union Church this Sunday, Dec. 12, at 7 p. m. All will be welcome.

The Community Club will have a pot luck supper at 6 o'clock next Tuesday for the members and their families. The Youth Group will be invited and will sing Christmas carols. Each one is asked to bring a gift to exchange.

The Cub Scouts visited Neil Olson, Wednesday and discussed trapping and the fur trade.

Your correspondent has a new telephone number: 875-2924. They are changing lines all over town and I would appreciate my regular con-

tributors calling in their new numbers if they have them as the new phone books have not been issued yet. Of course, as always, I appreciate news from anyone, anytime.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wilson were in West Greenwood Monday evening to help Mrs. Rita Wilson celebrate her birthday.

The Youth Group had a progressive supper Sunday night starting with Beverly Melville's for appetizers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ring's for sandwiches and hot chocolate and ended at Mrs. Burris's for dessert, devotions and games. A good time was had by all.

The Bookmobile will be in town, Wednesday, Dec. 15, at the mill parking lot.

The Ladies Circle will hold their annual Christmas pot luck dinner and Christmas tree for members and guests, Dec. 15, at the Locke Mills Sunday School Room. Dinner will be at noon with exchange of gifts in the afternoon.

The Mt. Abram Fish and Game Association will hold a pot luck supper and exchange of gifts at the Town Hall, Dec. 16, at 6:30 p. m. The Christmas Dance for Ekco Housewares employees will be held Saturday evening at the Legion Hall. There will be no gifts exchanged this year.

Mr. Johnston has moved into the house belonging to Mrs. Hazel Goldbeck. Carollee Osgood and children,

who used to live there have moved to their trailer home on Howe Hill next to Robert Emens and family. Mr. and Mrs. Terry Wilson and family have moved a trailer home onto the lot on the East Bethel road vacated last year by Charles Morse.

Mrs. Lettie Ford, West Paris, mother of Norwood Ford, will celebrate her 90th birthday, Dec. 21. Cards would be appreciated.

Mrs. Charles Andrews is improving slowly at the CMG Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mills and Ralph visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Colby,

Carl and Brian; Miss Mary Mills; and Verne Mills at their homes in West Greenwood, Sunday evening.

Mrs. John Mills celebrated her 39th birthday, Dec. 7, with a family supper at her home.

Mrs. Georgia Mason is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Frank Carl and family in Waterbury.

The 1972 dog licenses have arrived. Licenses are due Jan. 1 for the coming year.

Mrs. Leona Curtis of East Bethel and Miss Charlotte Cole of Greenwood Center were supper guests of

Mr. and Mrs. Oliva Whitman and family of South Paris, Saturday.

Mrs. Lora Noyes is spending some time visiting her son, Merle Noyes, and family in Morristown, N. J.

Mrs. Mary Crockett will celebrate her 88th birthday on Monday, Dec. 13. She would enjoy cards.

Mrs. Marion Tibbets and Miss

Charlotte Cole were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doyle and family in Sabattus, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole left from Portland by plane Monday to visit her son and family, who are stationed in Berlin, Germany. They expect to return the last of the month.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends and relatives for the cards, letters and visits I received while in the hospital and since my return home.

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½ cup water  
4 frankfurter rolls, split, and toasted  
2 tablespoons chopped onion  
Brown franks in butter; add soup and water. Heat; stir now and then. Place franks in rolls, spoon soup over. Garnish with chopped onion. Serves 4.

## your week ahead

BY DR. A.W. DAMIS

Forecast Period: December 11 - December 28

## ARIES

Mar. 21 - Apr. 19

Guard against jealousy and emotional explosions. One other thing, examine the strings attached to a favor or aid that will be offered by the opposite sex.

## TAURUS

Apr. 20 - May 20

Most members of your sign will develop a very interesting friendship. Incidentally, the Holidays will cover a smoldering animosity that is fanning among your associates.

## GEMINI

May 21 - June 20

Ironically, troubles in the financial and occupational departments of your life seems to be crisscrossing your chart. Also, if you are so inclined, a member of the opposite sex will approach you - with designs.

## MOONCHILD

June 21 - July 22

It seems as though you will be over reacting to the whims and emotions of those who surround you. Nonetheless, things should be on the upswing for your sign.

## LEO

July 23 - Aug. 22

Things look good on the home front; fair on the social departments of your life. But, you could become involved in a feud that exists between friends.

## VIRGO

Aug. 23 - Sept. 22

Nostalgia, thoughts of the best, might find you in a rather depressed mood. Keep in mind, the present is really a mixture of the past and future.

## LIBRA

Sept. 23 - Oct. 22

Your sign, more than any of the others, can be triggered into doing some rather foolish things in the tempo of the Holiday spirit. Keep one thing in mind, security!

## SCORPIO

Oct. 23 - Nov. 21

For those under your sign unattached, and, so inclined, could find themselves involved with the opposite sex - beyond their capacity of fulfillment.

## SAGITTARIUS

Nov. 22 - Dec. 21

You are inclined toward too much "fun and frolic." In other words, your tendency to "free wheel" could get you in big, very big trouble. Bluntly, you could become involved with someone who has designs.

## CAPRICORN

Dec. 22 - Jan. 19

There's a difference between flattery and a compliment. And, according to stellar patterns, you are in for a few "job well done" commendations. Also, a bit of motivated flattery is coming your way.

## AQUARIUS

Jan. 20 - Feb. 18

Boredom with a member of the opposite sex, shows in your chart, clearly. It's highly probable that you will be hurting someone's feelings, during the present cosmic cycle.

## PISCES

Feb. 19 - Mar. 20

Money problems seem to hover over many members of your sign. There's a possibility that difficulty could develop because of a valuable article. So, use discretion in the giving or receiving of a gift.

## PERSONALITY PROFILE

For your Sun Sign Analysis, send the day, month, year and place of birth, plus \$6. For postage and handling to Dr. Andrew W. Damis, P.O. Box 12744, St. Petersburg, Florida 33722.

## CARD OF THANKS

We would like to thank friends, relatives and neighbors for the flowers, cards and many kindnesses at the time of our recent loss of our loved one. A special thanks to Pastor David Shaw and L. W. Andrews and Son funeral home.

Mrs. Roger W. Wheeler and family

Mr. and Mrs. Roger A. Wheeler and family

Chester C. Wheeler and family

Albert S. Wheeler and family

Esther Straghead and family

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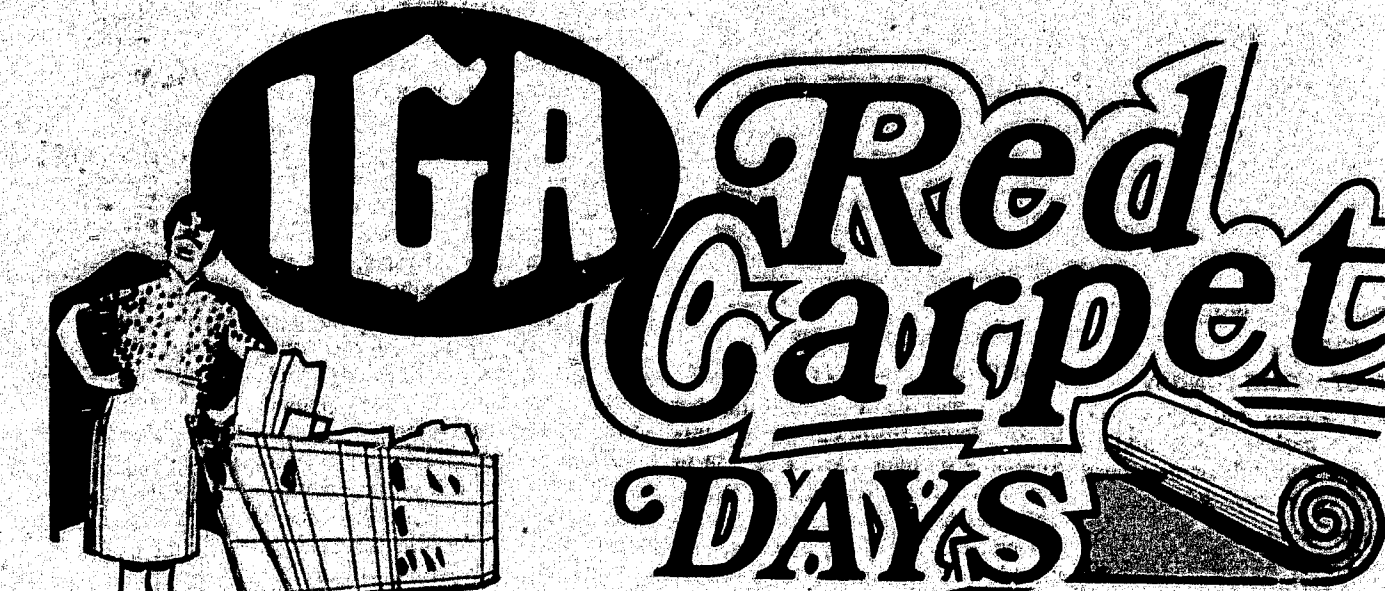
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Kirschner's

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SLICED BOILED HAM

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SCOTCH OATMEAL BREAD

3 loaves for \$1.00

## IGA CLIP-A-COUPON

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## AFTERNOON CIRCLE—W. S. C. S.

The Afternoon Circle of the W. S. C. S. met at the home of Annie Gordon on Tyler Street, Thursday afternoon, Dec. 2. The meeting was preceded by a program given by Virginia Keniston, as chairman. She read concepts from Dick Van Dyke's children's book.

The business meeting was opened in due form with Sarah Stevens presiding. Twelve members were in attendance. One officer was absent. A donation was given to the Bethel Library to install a phone. This is a community project.

Election of the Circle officers are as follows: chairman, Dorothy Abbott; secretary, Adeline Dexter; assistant secretary, Virginia Walker; treasurer, Ethel Ward.

There was a meeting Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 6, at Virginia Walker's, for various committees and programming for 1972.

There will be exchange of gifts and packing of Christmas Baskets at the regular Dec. 16 meeting at the home of Frances Saunders on Elm Street, in the afternoon.

A 6:30 supper was held in the dining room of the Methodist Church Sunday afternoon. A program by the small children was given.

An executive meeting will be held at Hulda Stevens, Dec. 13.

## BOY SCOUT NEWS - TROOP 545

A Court of Honor was held at the Congregational Church on Nov. 23, 1971. A list of the boys who received awards appears below. Most of the awards had been earned at Spring Camporee and at Camp Bomazeen on the Belgrade Lakes in the summer.

The Court of Honor was opened by a candlelight ceremony planned by Scoutmaster Romeo Baker, and the boys. Troop committee chairman, George Gilbert, and committeemen Richard Stevens, Ben Warner and Carroll Valentine took part in making presentations. The parents who were present assisted in individual presentations.

Jeff Fleet had earned 1st Class and received 1st Class Pin and Patch, also Camporee Patch. Ron Gilbert had earned 1st Class and received 1st Class Pin and Patch, also Camporee Patch and Merit badges for Archery and First Aid. Randy Gilbert had earned 1st Class and received 1st Class Pin and Patch, also Camporee Patch and Merit Badge for swimming.

Frank Lowell Jr., became 1st Class, and received Camporee Patch, and 1st Class Pin and Patch. Elden Yates became 1st Class, and received Camporee Patch, and 1st Class Pin and Patch. Jack Taylor, already 1st Class, received shotgun and Rifle Merit Badges.

Eddy Kennett achieved Star rank and also had been elected member of the Order of the Arrow at Camp Bomazeen last summer, received Star Pin and Patch and Merit Badges for First Aid, Gardening,

## TELSTAR GIRLS' VARSITY DIVIDE FIRST TWO TILTS

On Friday, Dec. 3, the Telstar girls basketball team won their season opener with a 35-30 victory over host Jay High School. Top scorer for the local team was Janis Howe with 15 points while C. Linder of Jay led her team with 10. The score for the junior varsity game was Telstar 7, Jay 6.

Traveling to Hall-Dale on Tuesday the Rebellettes had their first loss, 46-36. Janis Howe again produced the largest number of points for Telstar. Top scorers for Hall-Dale were Jenny McPherson and D. Rollins. The Telstar J. V. team also was beaten 35-16.

On Friday, Dec. 10, Telstar will be hosts to Monmouth Academy in a game beginning at 3:30 p. m.

A film entitled "Normal Labor and Delivery" will be shown, followed by a discussion period headed by Dr. John Makin, chief-of-obstetrics.

The program is under the direction of Mrs. Carol MacKinnon, R. N., supervisor, maternity department and her staff. All expectant parents in the area are invited to attend regardless of whether they attended previous classes.

Home Repairs, Pioneering, Printing and swimming, five of these being required for Star rank.

Several boys were absent, including Rick and Skip Chandler, John Swan, Scott Smith, and Jeff Jeffries, whose family has moved away. Boys who missed the previous Board of Review and the Court of Honor, should attend the next meeting and make arrangements with Romeo Baker in order to receive awards which they have earned.

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## Family SHOPPING BAG

ITEM: A study of shopping habits of the American housewife showed that customers in a supermarket shopped an average of 11.5 minutes, and the majority shopped less than 10 minutes. Eighty-three percent of the shoppers had no shopping lists.

ITEM: Women, shopping alone, made up 42% of a supermarket's customers. When two women shopped together, they spent 89 cents more than when they shopped alone, a recent study revealed.

ITEM: Most cuts of Prime or Choice lamb are tender and can be oven-roasted or broiled.

ITEM: Another recent survey shows that nine out of ten individual pieces of cookware are purchased by women, 82% of whom have been married over five years. Saucepans and frypans are most popular, each capturing 22% of the sales.

## BARRACK &amp; AUXILIARY 2943

The Barracks and Auxiliary of W. I. No. 2943 met at the Legion Hall on Vernon St., for their regular meeting Dec. 6. It was preceded by a "pot-luck" supper with 21 members seated.

The Auxiliary opened their meeting at 8 o'clock with President Rose Taylor presiding. 14 members were in attendance, one officer was absent.

The calendar fund project for the three winter months were passed out to members present. The others will be mailed. The General Orders No. 2 were read for the good of the order.

Marjorie Cummings reported we, No. 2943, were the first to reach our 100% membership in Maine. A trophy will be ours for '72 and to keep if we win the next two years membership. Otherwise it will go to the Auxiliary that does achieve this award.

Cards were signed to be sent for Xmas to the charter members of George A. Mundt Unit No. 81 when formed in 1931, who are unable to be with us.

The treasurer's books were audited by the trustees, Frances Bennett, Agnes Chase and Isabel Croteau.

A thank you note from Rehab chairman, Mrs. Joseph D. Napoli from Togus, for our "Xmas Box". One from us goes to Leona Curtis, who delivered it in person. Our veterans at Togus Hospital are still our responsibility to remember through the year, as well as at Xmas time. The committee for our next meeting is Rose Taylor, Adeline Dexter and Maud Danforth.

## NORTH PARIS

Wilma Pierce, Corres. — Mr. and Mrs. Floreston Pierce, spent Thanksgiving with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene DeShon in Oxford.

Ella Lowe, Norway, visited Mildred Hazelton and Arthur Allen Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floreston Pierce, spent Sunday with their son, Myron Pierce and family in South Paris. Gladys Bonney is confined to her home with the flu.

Eveline Barrett was in Bethel Friday to see the doctor.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floreston Pierce have been: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene DeShon and family, Oxford; Marilyn Osborne, Oxford; Mr. and Mrs. John Estes; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown, Heidi and Ernie; Nancy Henderson; Doreen Pulsifer; Lula Buck; Eveline Barrett; Doris Lawrence. Lowell Cleveland, Norway, called on the Barretts, Monday.

## SCHOOL LUNCH MENUS—S.A.D. 44 WEEK OF DECEMBER 13

Monday: Hamburg deep dish pie, buttered rice, carrots, fruit, biscuits and butter, milk.

Tuesday: Meat loaf, mashed potato, peas, fruit, home made rolls and butter, milk.

Wednesday: Corn chowder, bologna slices, tossed salad, gingerbread, bread and butter, milk.

Thursday: Hot dogs, baked potatoes, green beans, mixed desserts, home made bread and butter, milk.

Friday: Hamburg in home made bun, beefs, fruit, juice, mixed breads and butter, milk.

## SEW WHAT?

THIS WEEK'S PATTERNS BY AUDREY LANE



Full Skirted

Add this vest and skirt to your collection of "put-togethers." They will pair off with your sweaters and blouses. No. 3451 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3452 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3453 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3454 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3455 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3456 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3457 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3458 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3459 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3460 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3461 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3462 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3463 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3464 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3465 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3466 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3467 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3468 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3469 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3470 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3471 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3472 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3473 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3474 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3475 comes in sizes 10 to 18. No. 3476 comes in sizes 10 to 18. 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## CHURCH ACTIVITIES

**Bethel United Methodist Church**  
Rev. Frederick Bailey, Minister  
Lay Leader, Rodney Hanscom  
Sunday School Superintendent  
Mrs. Harold Stevens  
Organist, Miss Kathie Littlefield  
Saturday: 6:30 p. m. Couples Club  
meets at the church for supper fol-  
lowed by entertainment.

Sunday:  
9:15 a. m. Sunday School meets.  
10:30 a. m. Worship Service.  
6 p. m. J. Y. F. meets at the  
church.

7 p. m. Basketball at the Gould  
Academy Field House.

Tuesday: 7:30 p. m. Administra-  
tive Board meets.

Wednesday: 10 a. m. Study groups  
meet at the homes of Mrs. Burton  
Abbott and Mrs. Robert Gordon.

7 p. m. Choir practice at the pa-  
rsonage.

7:30 p. m. Study group meets at  
the parsonage.

Thursday: 1:30 p. m. W. S. C. S.  
meets. Installation of officers.

7:30 p. m. Mens Brotherhood meets  
at the parsonage.

Couples' Club meets Saturday, Dec.  
11, at 6:30 p. m. at the Methodist  
Church. All couples are welcome to  
attend the dinner and program which  
follows. We are planning a program  
of Christmas music and games.

Those who attend who have not been  
solicited should bring a casserole.  
There will be an exchange of jokes  
presents also. Let's get-together for  
a good time.

**West Parish Congregational Church**  
United Church of Christ  
Rev. Thomas L. Caton, Pastor  
Dorothy Lovejoy, Organist

Sunday:  
Morning Worship, 10 a. m. Nurs-  
ery sisters available in the church  
kitchen during the service.

Nursery Class, 10 a. m.

Wednesday, Church School - Kin-  
dergarten Class, 3:15 p. m.; Primary,  
3:15 p. m.; Lower Junior, 3:15 p. m.;  
Junior, 3:15 p. m.; Junior High,  
7 p. m.; Senior High, 7 p. m.

Senior P. F. will meet Sunday  
evening, at 7 p. m. at the parsonage.

**Bethel Church of the Nazarene**  
Rev. Hoy Richards, Jr., Pastor  
A friendly people who believe that  
Christ is the answer for you and your  
family.

Sunday:  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School for all  
ages, 11:00 a. m. Morning Worship.  
For transportation to and from  
Church School, call 824-2700.

6:15 p. m. Young Peoples.  
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship.

Wednesday: 7:00 p. m. Prayer  
Meeting at the Church.

**Bethel Gospel Center**

Sunday:  
Morning Worship, 10:30 a. m.  
Evening Service, 7 p. m.

Wednesday:  
Bible Study and Prayer Service,  
8 p. m. at Robert Colby's, Chapman  
and Mason Streets.

**Catholic Services**

The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass  
will be offered at 9 a. m. Sunday  
at Our Lady of the Snows Church  
on Route 26.

**Episcopal Chapel of Christ the King**  
Sunday:  
Holy Communion, 7:30 p. m.  
Community Room, Casco Bank,  
Main and High Sts., Bethel.

All are welcome.

**West Bethel Union Church**  
Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor  
Mrs. Harriet Merrill, Organist  
Church Services at 11:00 a. m.  
Sunday School at 9:30 a. m.  
Ladies Chapel Aid Society: Second  
Wednesday of each month at 8:00 p.  
m.

**Locks Mills Union Church**  
Mrs. Beatrice Burris, Pastor  
Church services, 9:30 a. m.  
Sunday School, 10:45 a. m.  
Mrs. Richard Melville, organist  
and choir director. Choir rehearsal  
every Wednesday at 8:30 p. m.

**Bryant Pond Baptist Church**  
Linwood Hanson, Pastor  
9:15, Sunday School,  
10:30, Morning Worship Service.  
6:30, Young Peoples' Meeting.  
7:30, Evening Service.

**Westbeth Seventh-day**  
Adventist Church  
Pastor: David L. Shaw

Sabbath School: 10 a. m.  
Church Service: 11:30.  
Prayer meeting: Wednesday even-  
ing, 7:30.

**First Universalist Church**  
West Park, Maine  
Vance E. Frank, Minister

9 a. m. Worship.  
10 a. m. Church School.  
6 p. m. Junior and Senior High  
Youth Groups.

**Christian Science**  
Divine protection is always at  
hand. This is a theme of a Bible-  
Lesson Series entitled "God the Pres-  
erver of Man" at Christian Science  
church services Sunday.

"The Lord shall preserve thee  
from all evil; he shall preserve thy  
soul: the Lord shall preserve thy  
going out and thy coming in from  
this time forth, and even for ever-  
more." a Scriptural promise states.  
Readings from "Science and

Health with Key to the Scriptures" by  
Mary Baker Eddy explains why  
this is so. One citation states: "The  
divine Mind that made man main-  
tains His own image and likeness."

Services at First Church of Christ  
Scientist, Main and Tenth Sts., Ber-  
lin, N. H., begin at 11 a. m. The  
public is invited to attend.

**OXFORD COUNTY**  
**UNITED PARISH**

Charles S. Kent, Pastor  
Bertram Wentworth,  
Associate Pastor  
Wilbur I. Bull, D. D.  
Pastor Emeritus

**Albany Congregational Church**  
(Closed for the winter).  
East Stoneham Congregational  
Sunday:

9:00 a. m. Morning worship. Mr.  
Kent preaching.

**North Waterford Congregational**  
Sunday:

10:30 a. m. Morning Worship. Mr.  
Kent preaching.

**First Congregational Church**  
U. C. of C.  
Andover

Jay H. Cummings, Pastor  
Linda Burnham, Organist  
Mrs. Herman Saurat, Choir Director  
Christine Coolidge,  
Junior Choir Director

Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.  
Worship Service, 11:00.  
Nursery Available.

Choir Rehearsal, Wednesday, 7:30  
p. m.

Ladies Aid, every other Thursday,  
2 p. m. C. E. B.

**Calvary Congregational Church**  
East Andover

Rev. Lester Strout, Pastor  
Miss Beverly White, Pianist  
Mrs. Ralph Stinson  
Senior Choir Director  
Mrs. David Smith,  
Church School Supt.

Sunday:

9:30-10:30 a. m. Church School.  
Ages 3 years-grade 6, at the  
church; 7-8 grades, at the home of  
Rev. Lester Strout; 9-12 grades, at  
the home of Ronald White.

11:00-12:00 a. m. Worship Service.  
7 p. m. Youth Fellowship, ages  
grade 7 and up, Rev. Lester Strout,  
leader. Adults are welcome.

Singspiration Service first Sunday  
of each month at 7 p. m.

Tuesdays: 9:30-11:00 a. m. Wom-  
en's Bible Study at Jeanette Chas-  
ey's.

6:30 p. m. Crusaders Boys Club,  
ages 9-12, first and third Tuesdays,  
ages 13 and over, second and fourth  
Tuesdays.

Wednesday, 6:30 p. m. Senior  
Choir Rehearsal, 7:30 p. m. Prayer  
and Praise Service.

Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Visitation  
and personal evangelism class.

**Rumford Point**  
**Congregational Church**  
Rev. Carl M. Kingsbury, Pastor  
Mrs. Rupert Elliott, Organist  
Mrs. Eugene Bradbury,  
Supt. of Church School

Sunday, Dec. 12:

9:30 a. m. Morning Worship.  
10:45 a. m. Church School.  
12 noon: Jr. Youth Dinner Meet-  
ing.

6:15 p. m. Pilgrim Fellowship.  
Monday, Dec. 13: 3:30 to 4:30 p. m.  
Webelos Boy Scouts; 7:00 p. m.  
Cosmos Club Supper Meeting; 7 p.  
m. Church Council.

Tuesday, Dec. 14: After School-  
Jr. Girl Scouts, Troop 331 at Mrs.  
Norma Bessy's; 3:30 to 4:30 p. m.  
Den 3 of Cub Scouts at Mrs. Gross's  
home; 3:15 to 4:15 p. m. Den 1 of  
Cub Scouts at Mrs. Merle Richard-  
son's; 4 to 5 p. m. Den 2 at Mrs.  
Stanley Jassard's; 6:30 p. m. Cad-  
ette Girl Scouts at the Hanover  
Town House; 6:30 p. m. Men's Club  
Supper Meeting.

Wednesday, Dec. 15: After School-  
Brownie Troop 783 at Mrs. Ed-  
munds; 6 p. m. Ladies Aid Christ-  
mas Party at Mrs. Ellingwood's.

Thursday, Dec. 16: 7 p. m. Sun-  
day School Teachers Supper.

Friday, Dec. 17: 7 p. m. Troop 509  
of Boy Scouts.

Saturday, Dec. 18:

7:00 p. m. Jr. Choir Rehearsal.  
7:30 p. m. Sr. Choir Rehearsal.

**The Church of Jesus Christ**  
**of Latter-day Saints**  
Oxford Branch-Meeting Hall is  
in Welchville on Route 121.

Sunday:

Priesthood, 9:00 a. m.  
Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.  
Sacrament Meeting, 6:00 p. m.

Tuesday:

Primary (3-12 year olds), 6:15 p.  
m.

MTA (13-18 year olds), 6:15 p. m.

Wednesday:

Relief Society (Women's Organi-  
zation), 9:30 a. m.

**First Baptist Church**  
78 High Street  
Berlin, N. H.

Rev. Stephen M. Tolander, Minister  
933-732-8213

9:45, Sunday School  
11:00, Morning Worship  
Radio Broadcast over WMOU,  
11:30.

Tuesday: 6:30 Choir Rehearsal,  
7:30 Prayer meeting and Bible  
Study.

**Cory Inn Morning Home**  
Thursday, Dec. 14: 10 a. m. Wor-  
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## IN AND ABOUT BETHEL

Earl Davis is a patient at the  
Rumford Community Hospital.

Thursday evening, Dec. 16, Gould  
Academy will have a Christmas  
Carol service in the Congregational  
Church at 8 p. m. The public is  
cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flint, Brian  
and Wendy, returned to Fairfield,  
Conn., after spending a few days  
with Mrs. Henry Flint and Mr. and  
Mrs. Cecil Conrad.

The MEC's will meet on Monday  
evening, Dec. 13, at the home of  
Miss Eugenia Haselton. A pot luck  
supper at 6:30 will be followed by  
a Christmas tree and program of  
Christmas readings and poetry.

**ANNUAL MEETING HELD BY**  
**RUMFORD HOSPITAL**

Fred E. Hanscom, Rumford attor-  
ney, was elected president of the  
Rumford Community Hospital board  
of directors at the annual meeting  
held on Monday.

Other officers elected included:  
Donald M. Candors, first vice-  
president and treasurer; Byron W.  
Joy, second vice-president; Daniel  
C. McDonald II, assistant treasurer;  
and Samuel W. Lowe, deputy assis-  
tant treasurer.

At the annual stockholders meeting  
preceding the board meeting, Rich-  
ard E. Whiting was re-elected clerk  
of the corporation. Among members  
of the board of directors re-elected  
were: Leland R. Brown of Bethel  
and Norman K. Ferguson of Han-  
over. Mr. Brown was also named  
to serve on a new medical commit-  
tee.

**NOVEMBER HIGHWAY DEATHS**  
**UP 56.3% OVER SAME MONTH**  
**A YEAR AGO**

Highway deaths in November in-  
creased by 56.3% and fatal crashes  
increased 40% this year compared  
to the corresponding month in 1970,  
according to a summary compiled  
by the Bureau of Traffic Records of  
the Maine State Police.

A total of 25 persons were killed  
in 21 crashes during the month  
compared to 16 deaths in 15 crashes  
in November of 1970.

For the 11-month period ending  
Nov. 30, highway deaths decreased  
by 5% and fatal crashes by 4.2%  
compared to the same period in  
1970. Two hundred forty-six persons  
were killed in 208 crashes January  
through November of this year and  
233 deaths were recorded in 217  
crashes in the same period in 1970.

Of the total number of persons  
killed 123 were drivers, 78 were  
passengers, 40 were pedestrians,  
four were bike riders and one a sled  
rider.

Ninety-eight of the crashes involv-  
ed a single vehicle, 40 involved a  
vehicle and pedestrian, 32 were  
head-on collisions, 21 were angle  
collisions, five were rear end col-  
lisions, four involved a vehicle and  
train, four involved a vehicle and  
bike and one a vehicle and sled.

Leading contributing cause factor  
in 49 of the fatal crashes was ex-  
cessive speed, in 29 wrong side of  
road, in 24 faulty pedestrian action,  
in 19 speed and liquor, in 17 inatten-  
tion, in 12 failure to yield, in nine  
liquor in nine defective equip-  
ment, in eight driver asleep, in  
five faulty bike or sled rider, in four  
hazardous conditions, in three fell  
from vehicle, in two parking on  
the highway, in two insecure load,  
in one improper passing, in one phy-  
sical defect, in one animal in road-  
way and in one operating without  
lights, in one wrong way on divid-  
ed highway, in one a stop sign vio-  
lation and in one obstructed vision.

The leading cause factor in 10 of  
the fatal crashes was unknown.

Of the total of 269 drivers involv-  
ed in the fatal crashes 102 were age  
15-24, 56 were age 25-34, 40 were age  
35-44, 25 were age 45-54, 15 were age  
55-64, 10 were age 65 or older and  
the ages of two were unknown.

Fifty-one of the fatal crashes oc-  
curred on a Saturday, 32 on a Sun-  
day, 30 on a Monday, 26 on a Fri-  
day, 26 on a Wednesday, 22 on a  
Tuesday and 21 on a Thursday.

Seventy-two of the fatal crashes  
occurred between 6 p. m. and mid-  
night, 70 between noon and 6 p. m.,  
33 between midnight and 6 a. m.,  
and 31 between 6 a. m. and noon.

Sixty-nine persons were killed in  
33 multiple death crashes during the  
11-month period. Five crashes  
claimed three lives each and two  
persons each were killed in 27 crash-  
es.

One hundred seventy-two of the  
fatal crashes occurred in rural  
areas, 34 in urban areas.

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## Classified Ads

Twenty-five words or less, one week, 75 cents; additional weeks without change, 50 cents. More than 25 words, three cents per word the first week; additional weeks, two cents per word.

Advertisements in care of the Citizen, 25 cents per insertion additional.

Display advertising in classified columns, 50 cents per inch. Cards of Thanks or In Memoriams, \$1.25.

Resolutions of Respect, \$1.50.

## FOR SALE

5' 9" Squaw Valley skis with metal edges and bindings. Suitable for beginner. Never used. WALLACE SAUNDERS, 824-2266.

OIL FURNACES! Install NOW and start payments NEXT SPRING! First tank of oil FREE!! Write Superior Heating Co., 3 Hillcrest Ave., South Portland, Tel. 799-0135 or 799-3814.

Three registered Dachshund puppies, 10 weeks old, 2 males, 1 female. MRS. ROBERT HOLT, East Bethel.

Snowmobile - 1970 Johnson, twin cylinder, 16 h.p., 20" track, smooth, quiet, dependable, excellent condition. Original cost \$1,000. Asking \$575. Call 824-2853.

1954 WILLIS JEEP - good condition, locking front hubs, 7 a.m. to 4 p.m. 836-2336.

Used snowmobiles including large Ski-Doo with wide track asking \$395.00; another nice Ski-Doo only \$550.00; 1970 Boleas Sprint new \$375.00, make us an offer; two Boleas Diablos with sleds asking \$250.00 and \$350.00 each, also several Famous new Ariens snow travelers at very low prices when you consider all the Ariens features. Financing available. TWITCHELL, FARM EQUIPMENT, Oxford, Maine. Tel. 539-4866.

CHRISTMAS TREES FOR SALE - \$1.00 and \$2.00. STEVE'S GARAGE, 824-2000.

1965 Volkswagen Squareback. Best offer over \$200. Call 824-2759.

JOLLY GREEN GIANT SPECIAL - Men's American-made Insulated Rubber Pads, sizes 12-14-15-16, \$4.99, \$16.00 value. TOM RYAN'S, Norway, Mexico and Fryeburg, 4815.

Ski Boots For Sale - Reichenbach, girls, 7 1/2, like new, \$25. Zehrer-buckle, men's, 8N, \$35, used five times. L. B. FISKE, 4815.

FOR SALE - Gas Range, \$30.00, like new. Tel. 875-2947, East Bethel. JONATHAN CROCKETT, 48-50p.

CHRISTMAS WREATHS and Garlands made to order, 836-2554, 47-49.

New Tilton Saw Chain, 3/4" Pitch for Homelite, Jonsered, McCulloch and Pioneer chain saws. Special Prices 16" - \$12.95; 20" - \$14.95. LLOYD B. LOWELL, Bethel, Maine.

SALE - Studio Couch, reupholstered; Buckle ski boots, #12, \$15; Skates, #3; 32 Volume Collier's Encyclopedia, year books, \$30; traverse rods; new ripple pattern Afghan, blue and green, \$30; One drawer stand; antique plank bottom chairs, ladder backs, Morris chair, excellent condition; old tin candle holders, trivets, iron, number plates. Weekdays after 3:30; anytime week ends. ROGER TWITCHELL, Locke Mills, next to Mt. Abram Skiway, 48-49p.

Orders taken for assorted fruit trees, shrubs, tulip trees, shade trees, rose bushes, strawberry plants, blueberry bushes. Also orders taken for commercial orchards. Stark Brothers representative. DANIEL COLE, Gilead, Maine, 2815.

KNAPP AEROTRED SHOES - Men's and Ladies'. Call CHARLIE FARRAR 824-3030.

WANTED - Second hand Ski-Dos wanted. Top trade-in allowance toward new machines. ERNEST ANGEVINE, Bethel.

WANTED TO RENT - Would like to rent a place for the ski season near Mt. Abram, Locke Mills. Call 799-2713.

WANTED TO BUY - Contents of homes or attics. Odds and ends. Call CECIL and BEA CONRAD, 4415.

## FOR RENT

SEASON RENTALS - Ski Apartments in Bethel - Kitchen, bath, livingroom, and two bedrooms. One bedroom dormitory size. All utilities and kitchen supplies. Large barn for parking and storage. One room and bath efficiency units, all utilities, kitchen supplies and linen supplied. Large barn for parking and storage. Call MR. KELLY, Chapman House, Church & Main Sts., 824-2000.

FOR RENT - Modern, 4 bedroom ranch style home - electric heat - 3 miles from town on East Bethel Road - call MRS. BRADLEY BENSON, 824-3616.

RENT-A-T.V. Portable \$1.00 per day. WESTERN AUTO, Bethel & Rumford.

TV - RADIO - HI-FI SERVICE Can "CLAYTON SWEATT" 824-2677 Closed Sat.

Authorized RCA Dealer for T. V. - Transistor Radios Stereo Record Players

REED ANTENNA WORK? Have Ladder - WIN Clim



SEVENTH GRADE IPS students at Telstar Regional High School recently had a test in science. After the students took the test individually the test was given to randomly grouped teams. The winning team shown above was the recipient of

the many goodies which they shared with the class in a test "celebration." Members of the team shown above are (left to right): Cathy Smith, Cheryl Sessions, and Lori Thayer.

## LOCKE MILLS SCHOOL BROWNIE NEWS

We met Wednesday, Dec. 1, 1971, after school at Laurie Wilson's house. After attendance was taken Rosalie Coolidge and Jacqueline Cross held the American and Girl Scout Flags while we said the Pledge of Allegiance, the Brownie Promise and the Brownie B's together. Mrs. Barbara Wilson and Mrs. Charlotte Kimball, our leaders, then helped us make Santa Claus puppets. - Troop Scribe: Penny Sue Bean.

## REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE - Three bedroom Ranch on Riverside Lane, 3 yrs. old, with baseboard heat. Excellent location for children. Call RUSSELL CARSON, 824-2017.

East Bethel Road - Six room modern house on two secluded acres. Three bedrooms. Full bath. Hot water baseboard heat. Spring water. 37 barn with cement foundation.

\$15,900. PAULINE KENNISON, Real Estate Broker. Tel. 539-2513 or 743-6833.

FOR SALE - 12 room, 2 family house, central hot water heat, large lot. Price reduced for immediate sale. EUGENE BUSWELL, Bethel, Maine.

## LOCKE MILLS MODERN RANCH HOME

ROUND POND AND NEAR MT. ABRAM SKIWAY, 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, laundry, den, kitchen, spacious living room with fireplace, 2 car garage. \$32,000.

ALL SEASON CEDAR LOG CABIN partly furnished at Mt. Abram Ski Area. \$8,800.

## MILTON MILLS REALTOR

Bryant Pond, Maine. Tel. 57

## REMEMBER THIS AGENCY. WE'RE ALWAYS LOOKING AND SEARCHING FOR PROPERTY TO BUY OR SELL.

Paradise Street, Bethel - Owners have retired. Most anxious to sell now. 115 year old 7 room home (with some wide board floors and the old corner posts); full bath second floor; hot air furnace fully automatic; all town conveniences; screened porch; ell and barn attached. Walk to stores, churches and banks. \$9,900.

Bear River, Newry - Old 1857 Cape Cod home; much modernization complete; 7 rooms with full bath; fireplace, paneled den; hot air furnace; 45 acres with 1500 feet on Bear River; section of open fields and woods; aluminum combination windows. Route 20 just beyond North Newry post office. \$27,000.

MATTI H. KORHONEN REAL ESTATE BROKER

107 Main St. South Paris, Maine

Routes 117 and 24 Tel. 207 743-8806

## MISCELLANEOUS

Experienced Babysitter Available weekdays after 2:00 - and week ends. Call 821-2586, Bethel.

Interior painting, commercial spraying, snow removal, gutter cleaning and downspout installation. JOHN YOUNG, 824-2000.

PAINTING AND PAPERING - ALFRED BROWN, Bethel, Maine.

All types of upholstery done, antique and modern. Free pickup and delivery. Large selection of fabrics. Contact GLEN'S UPHOLSTERY, 21 Market Sq., South Paris, Maine. Tel. 710-5656.

Wants collected Daily, 50 cents per pick-up and up. ALBERT COTTON, Phone 824-2000 or 824-2063.

LEWIS M. SARGENT, Painting - Interior and Exterior, Paper Hanging. Phone 824-2005, Bethel.

## SCHOOL DIRECTORS MEET

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portion for practice sessions that begin after, or extend beyond 5:30 p. m.

Don Stecher of Bethel inquired if the district nurse was required to take courses in Mental Health as part of her certification program. Supt. Robert Gerardi replied that this would be part of her program, and that he would suggest that these courses be taken earlier in her program, if feasible. Mr. Stecher further asked what degree of investigation was made into a prospective teachers mental health before employment. Mr. Gerardi replied that the S. A. D. 44 administrators conducted a somewhat unique and most comprehensive interview which included questions about the candidate's mental health. Mr. Stecher suggested that prospective teaching candidates be examined by someone competent to evaluate their mental health prior to employment. The matter will be referred to the Personnel Committee.

Mr. Gerardi recommended that the district not lease its buses to an outside party. This was the advice of the State Department of Education, as it would be in competition with public carriers.

The board approved the low bid of Casco Bank and Trust Co. to provide temporary financing at a rate of 2.7% per annum for the 1972 year.

The group discussed a grievance of a board action by the M. S. A. D. Education Association. The board will meet with representatives of the Association in the near future to review the issue.

The director approved 11 teacher aides under the Emergency Employment Act until Aug. 31, 1972 provided that the M. S. A. D. 44 Education Association sign a waiver of the maintenance of standards with regard to teacher aides. The aides will begin at \$1.80 per hour. Also

moved forward therefore bringing the checks earlier. Notifications being made to each client in their December checks which are already in the mail.

## MAINE'S INCREASE IN PER CAPITA INCOME

## TOPS NATIONWIDE FIGURE

The growth in Maine's per capita personal income last year from 1969 topped the nationwide increase, a new study shows. In addition, Maine's percentage growth exceeded that of the six-state New England area.

That's the conclusion drawn from an analysis of government data by Melnhard-Commercial Corporation of New York, a leading factoring and financial firm.

Maine's per capita personal income last year reached \$3,257, up 7.8 per cent, or \$236, from 1969. For the six-state New England area, per capita personal income rose to \$4,277 last year, an increase of 6.2 per cent, or \$251, from the previous year.

Nationwide, per capita personal income increased 5.8 percent, or \$216, to \$3,921 last year from 1969. When compared with 1960, Maine's per capita income increased \$1,415, or 76.8 per cent. New England, meanwhile, increased 76.4 per cent or \$1,853, and nationwide, the figures went up \$1,705, or 76.9 per cent.

Melnhard - Commercial supplies hundreds of millions of dollars in credit annually to a wide range of consumer products industries, including textiles. The firm provides research and marketing data, such as this analysis of Commerce Department statistics, as an aid to companies in charting manufacturing and marketing strategies.

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approved as a custodian at Woodstock Elementary School, and an additional bus driver under the same Act.

Board members not present were: Leon Akers, Kenneth Feener, Andover; Robert Davis, Paul Wight, Newry.

The next regular meeting of the board will be held at Andover Elementary School on Monday evening, Dec. 20, at 7:30.

## MT. ABRAM FISH &amp; GAME CLUB TO MEET DEC. 16

The Mt. Abram Fish and Game Club will meet Dec. 16 at the Town Hall at Locke Mills. A pot luck supper at 6:30. Following the business meeting there will be an exchange of Christmas gifts and a film.

## BRYANT POND

Mrs. Myrtle Hayes is making her home with Mr. and Mrs. James Clark this winter.

## TELSTAR OUTDISTANCED 70-37

## BY HALL-DALE IN M. V. C.

## BASKETBALL TUESDAY

Hall-Dale swarmed to a 70-37 Mountain Valley Conference basketball triumph over host Telstar, Tuesday, pushing to wide margins in the first and third quarters. The visitors were 15 to the good at the end of the opening period.

## Hall-Dale (70)

|            |    |   |    |
|------------|----|---|----|
| Stullen    | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| Bachelor   | 4  | 1 | 9  |
| Albert     | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| Hanley     | 3  | 0 | 6  |
| Lerette    | 2  | 0 | 4  |
| Webster    | 2  | 1 | 5  |
| Wheelock   | 5  | 2 | 12 |
| Brown      | 6  | 0 | 12 |
| Monson     | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| Rowe       | 6  | 0 | 10 |
| Longfellow | 4  | 2 | 10 |
| Frost      | 1  | 0 | 2  |
| Totals     | 32 | 6 | 6  |

## Telstar (37)

|           |    |   |    |
|-----------|----|---|----|
| Swain     | 0  | 0 | 2  |
| R. Juhl   | 1  | 0 | 0  |
| Carver    | 5  | 2 | 12 |
| Cummings  | 3  | 0 | 6  |
| Deegan    | 5  | 0 | 10 |
| Wing      | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| Olson     | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| Westleigh | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| Stevens   | 3  | 0 | 6  |
| Howard    | 0  | 1 | 1  |
| Browne    | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| E. Juhl   | 0  | 0 | 0  |
| Totals    | 17 | 3 | 37 |

Hall-Dale 17 36 51 70  
Telstar 2 10 24 37

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# TELSTAR R. H. S. NEWS

## COUNCIL COMMENTS

This past week or so, the famed artists of Telstar have been decorating the school in the Christmas spirit. Colorful paper chains and window paintings are showing up all over. Move over Michelangelo!

Saturday the 4th, the Biology Club and a few guests went to Boston to the Museum of Science and the New England Aquarium. Also at the museum we saw "The Christmas Sky" at the planetarium. The trip was informative and most of all fun.

The Music Department would like to thank Mrs. Marie Nichols and Mrs. Elizabeth Bennett for their donations of music and records to the Music Dept.

Telstar's basketball teams are on the move now, so I am hoping that I will see you all there supporting your team. — Roberta Croteau.

## UPTON

— Mrs. Arline Bernier, Corres. —  
Fred and Bea Jenkins went to North Anson to visit Oscar Jenkins, Sunday.

Elaine Fuller and I called on Pam Drumm of Errol who gave us some wreath making ideas and showed us some of her other craft work.

We have had mild weather and slippery roads lately.

Richard LaCombe has been visiting his parents for several days. I expect 7 new boarders soon. Since I know almost nothing about them I hope there are some good books on care and feeding of these chinchillas arriving with them.

Alfred Burk has been sick with a virus.

Kathleen and I went to Lewiston Sunday for an Art's Instructors' meeting.

The committee for buying presents for children for the Jenkins' Fund went shopping in Rumford Monday.

## BETHEL CITIZEN BAND

### RADIO CLUB MEETS

On Tuesday, Dec 7 the Bethel CB Monitors Inc. held their meeting at the home of Oakley Godwin. The election of officers for the ensuing year was held with the following results: President, Oakley Godwin; Vice President, Asher Ronnells; Secretary, Barbara Godwin; Treasurer, Shirley Chase; Coordinator, Irving Brown; Assistant Coordinator, Hugh Chapman.

There was an attendance of 22 members to hear the guest speaker, John Anderson, District Ranger, of the Evans Ranch Ranger District of the White Mountain National Forest.

Mr. Anderson gave a very interesting outline of his job as District Ranger and of the duties of the people working under him. He spoke on conservation of wildlife and timber and concluded his speech with some tips on snowmobile safety.

The club then enjoyed a film on the safety of snowmobiling supplied by Ernest Angermeier.

## GIRL SCOUT TROOP 574

This week we made Christmas cards. For our materials we used ribbons, Christmas cards, daisies, construction paper, glitter, and branches of fake Christmas trees. — Troop Scribe—Jody Haines.

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## LATE FOUL SHOTS BRING

### GOULD COURT VICTORY, 44-41

Jack Milligan and Charlie Ault connected on two foul shots apiece in the late going to give Gould Academy a 44-41 win over Fryeburg Academy in non-league basketball action at Fryeburg last Friday night.

The contest was close all the way with neither live out front by more than a couple of points at the period breaks.

Milligan topped the winners with 17 points. Keith Algeat clipped in with 11 and Ault, 10.

John Garner of Fryeburg grabbed all game scoring honors with 19. Teammate Merrill Lee added nine. The winning Hokies were 10 for 19 at the foul line and the losing Haiders eight for 12.

**Gould Academy (44)**  
Algeat 2, Freeman 4 (3), Ault 4 (2), Milligan 7 (3), Hawk 1 (2).  
**Fryeburg Academy (41)**  
Crane 2, Davey 1 (1), Eastman 1, Lee 3 (3), Stacey 1 (3), Whitaker, Roberts 1, Farnous, Garner 9 (1).  
Period scores:  
Gould 10 24 26 46  
Fryeburg 12 25 28 44  
Officials: Grady, Scranton.  
JVS—Fryeburg 36, Gould 21.

## TELSTAR DROPS COURT OPENER

### TO JAY, 45-41

Jay High tore off 168 and 235 margins in the middle periods to draw away from the host Telstar Rebels in Friday Mountain Valley Conference basketball, which ended 45-41 in favor of the visitors. Fred Queltette, Steve Corneille and Homer Ambrose shot seven goals each for Jay in an attack that dominated from a close opening quarter. Ray Juhl and Wayne Cummings were top scorers for the Bethel combination.

**Jay (45)**  
Queltette 8, Corneille 7, Ambrose 7, Cummings 7, Juhl 4, Scranton 2.  
**Telstar (41)**  
Nelson 8, Corneille 7, Ambrose 7, Cummings 7, Juhl 4, Scranton 2.

**Totals**  
Telstar (41)  
Swain 2, Juhl 1, G. Carver 1, Cummings 1, Dignan 1, Wing 1, Westleigh 1, Stevens 1, Howard 1, Browne 1, Juhl 1.  
**Totals**  
Jay 16 32 35 65  
Telstar 12 29 29 41  
Turnover, Fouls, Four 5.  
Prctm: Jay 50, Telstar 22 (J.V.)

## GIRL SCOUT TROOP 544

We are working on the needle craft badge. On this badge you have to learn to knit, embroider, for the embroidery part you have to learn the blanket stitch, outline stitch, cross stitch and French Knot. Then we have to bring our things to have a display. — Troop Scribe, Brenda Mills.

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## WEST BETHEL

— Mrs. Lena Gilbert, Corres. —

The Christmas Sale sponsored by the Ladies Chapel Aid Society on Wednesday evening of last week was very successful with a good crowd attending. The Afghan will be awarded on Dec. 15. It is now on display at Head's Store. The place mats have all been sold. The committee for this sale appreciate the help they received which helped make it a success.

The members of Pleasant Valley Grange will hold their meeting and Christmas party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert. A pot luck supper will precede the meeting. Supper at 6:30. Meeting at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Alanson Cummings are at their home in Lebanon, Conn. They expect to return to West Bethel Dec. 20.

Callers on Friday at Mrs. Frances Bennetts were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hayes and Mr. and Mrs. Burton Myers, Shelburne, N. H.

Miss Brenda Pettit of Berlin was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy and family.

Mrs. George Gilbert took her mother, Mrs. Grace Morrill and Mrs. Gladys Goorney, to Portland Monday, where they took a plane to Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Head, John and Arthur Head, attended the funeral services of Mrs. Head's brother, Webster Akers in Sanbornville, N. H., on Friday.

Week end callers of the Heads were Mrs. Sylvia Akers, John Akers Jr., Weston, Mass., and friends, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calnan and daughter, Billerica, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Gilbert and Mrs. Lena Gilbert were in South Portland Saturday shopping and visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Walker and son, Richard, Beverly, Steve, Joan and Joseph Wild, attended the wedding on Saturday, Dec. 4, of Sgt.

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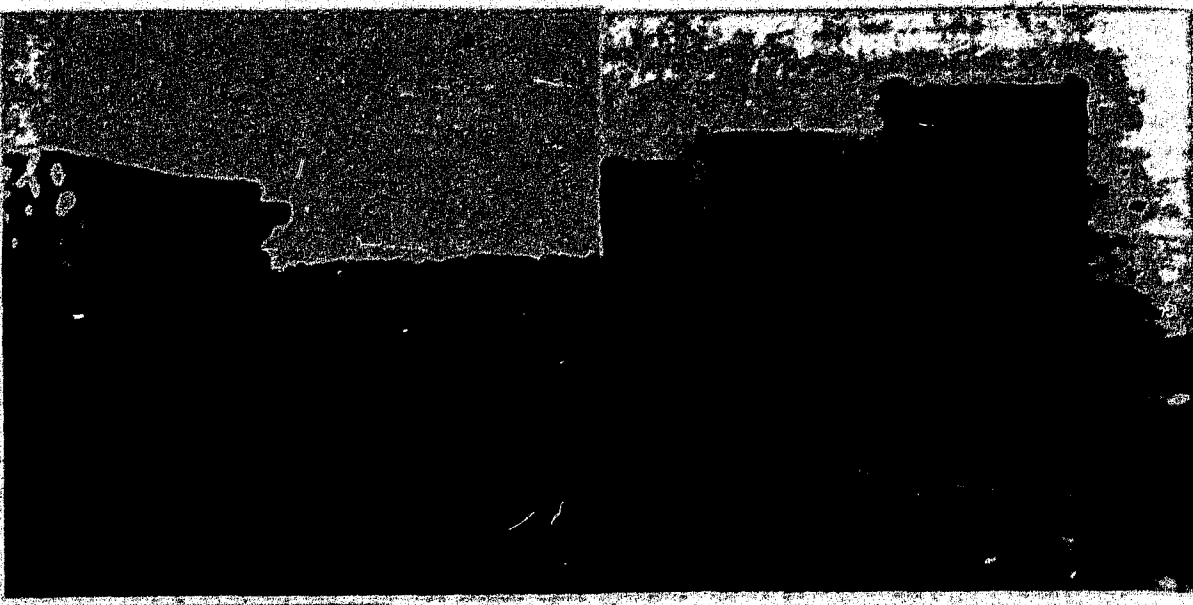
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Mrs. Richard Hutchinson of Rumford called on Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hutchinson Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Lovejoy, Dorothy and Ellen and Miss Brenda Pettit of Berlin, N. H., were in Portland Saturday to attend the 22nd anniversary of the opening of Starbird Music Store. They were all dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Laffreda.

Ellen Lovejoy returned to school on Monday after being absent two weeks on account of illness.

Alden Mason, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leland Mason, called his parents Tuesday evening, from Spokane, Wash. He is employed by a moving trucking firm and has been in Kansas, Texas, Arizona and California. He was scheduled to leave Washington on Wednesday for Alberta, Can., and plans to be home before Christmas. He reported the weather was very bad in Washington with snow and icy roads.

Brian Stowell, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Stowell Jr., has employment on a large dairy farm in New York State.

## WOODSTOCK FOURTH GRADE TOURS WILNER MILL

On Nov. 16, Mrs. Billings' class at Woodstock Elementary School went on a field trip to Wilner's Mill at Norway. At the mill we saw and learned a lot about how the mill is operated. We appreciated Mrs. Billings, Mrs. MacKillop and Mrs. Bellegarde going with us.

Trucks are used to haul the long logs to the mill because it pollutes the river if they are sent by river. A scaler measured the logs for board feet while they were on the truck.

A fork-lift lifted them onto the conveyor belt where they went into the debarker. After it has been debarked it is rolled down into the sawmill.

In the sawmill a man operates the carriage by pushbutton. When the headway cut the first slab it dropped to a conveyor belt which took it outside to be chipped. The boards then went to the edger and out on a belt to be graded. There they are pushed off according to their width.

The fork-lift carried them to be

stacked. They were separated by stickers so the air could dry the boards. In the winter they put them in a dry-house or they can be dried outdoors.

The boards are sold for houses, etc. At the mill they make heels for shoes.

The waste was used for chips and wood flour. From these they made shingles, dynamite, gunpowder, see-through bags, plastics, and paper. Some was used for fuel.

Some of the smoke which usually pollutes our air has been used to dry the lumber.

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## SONGO POND

**Mrs. Ralph Kimball, Corres.**  
Deepest sympathy from the community is extended to the family of Mary and Lisa Howard.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kimball are spending the winter in Florida. Ralph Kimball returned home Wednesday from the Maine Medical Center.

Mrs. Robert Lincoln was hostess on Saturday evening to an annual Christmas Party. Gifts were exchanged and a delicious buffet lunch was served. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lapham and Timmie, Mr. and Mrs. Earlon Keniston, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bancroft, Mr. and Mrs. Don James and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Thurston and Ernest, Mrs. David Salway and Brandon, Mrs. Allan Swan, and the hostess, Mrs. Robert Lincoln.

Mrs. Wilma Verrill, South Paris, was a Sunday afternoon visitor at the Jesse Doyens.

## STATE OF MAINE

To all persons interested in either of the Estates hereinafter named: At a Probate Court held at Paris, in and for the County of Oxford, on the sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and seventy-one, from day to day from the sixteenth day of said November. The following matters having been presented for the action thereupon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby Ordered:

That notice thereof be given to all persons interested, by causing a copy of this order to be published two weeks successively in the Bethel Citizen, a newspaper published at Bethel in said County, that they may appear at a Probate Court to be held at Paris, on the twenty-first day of December A. D. 1971, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Stanley C. Carter, late of Bethel, deceased: First and Final Account and Petition for Order to Distribute the balance remaining in her hands, presented by Elizabeth M. Carter, Executrix.

Edmund C. Smith, late of Bethel, deceased: First and Final Account and Petition for Order to Distribute the balance remaining in her hands, presented by Clare M. Smith, Administratrix.

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**Mrs. Violet Swain, Corres.**

Tax Collector Arthur Myshrahl reminds the residents of Andover that taxes not paid by Dec. 31 will be listed in the annual town report. Interest at the rate of 1/4 of 1% per month will be added to the tax bill on any paid after Aug. 31.

## COUPLE HONORED

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills, Jr., Andover, were guests of honor at a 23rd wedding anniversary party held on Dec. 5 at the Town Hall. The party was planned by the two oldest daughters, Mrs. Floyd (Karen) Emerson Jr. and Mrs. Robert (Margaret) Richardson, Plaistow, N. H., assisted by Mrs. Lester Bailey, Mrs. Colby Roberts, Mrs. Merton Fox had charge of the money tree.

Mrs. Keith Wilson, sister of Mr. Mills, circulated the guest book. The punch was served by Miss Judy Wilson and Miss Janis Wilson, Salem, N. H., nieces of Mr. Mills and Miss Leslie Mills, daughter of the honored couple.

Mrs. Mills was presented with a lovely orchid corsage and Mr. Mills a boutonniere. The couple received gifts, cards, and a money tree.

A buffet luncheon was served. The three tier pedestal cake was decorated with white roses and topped with a silver "23" and bells.

Dorothy Jean Learned and Roger Mills Jr. were married in Portland on Dec. 3, 1948. They have always resided in Andover. Mr. and Mrs. Mills are deacon and deaconess of First Congregational Church where he is moderator and chairman of the finance committee. He is a member of Knights of Pythias, former school board member, was Fire Chief for many years and is the Chairman of the Republican Town Committee. He operates Mill's Market on Main Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Mills have 11 children: Karen M. Emerson, Plaistow, N. H.; Margaret M. Richardson, Plaistow, N. H.; Roger III, Livermore; Phillip, freshman at the U. of M.; Augustal; Michael, Richard, Leslie, Christopher, Brian, Melinda and Patricia. They are the proud grandparents of seven.



Mr. and Mrs. Roger Mills, Jr.

## MAGALLOWAY

**Mrs. Bessie Harvey, Corres.**

Mrs. Bertha West came from Milan Friday and planned to stay in her trailer for a few days but Sunday night Robert Flint called her from Milan saying his mother, Mrs. Isabel Flint was ill and had gone to the St. Louis Hospital in Berlin and he asked her to come and keep their house for a while so she went back to Milan. Mrs. Flint is Mrs. Grace Turner's older sister.

My grandson, Frederick Abbott, and family, were here Sunday and he did a lot of plowing and chopping snow and ice. He has a plow on his Jeep. He also called on his uncles, Malcolm and Mark Harvey.

It was 12 below zero this Monday morning and seemed very cold and frosty.

The last "Hunters Ball" was not as well attended but enough was made to pay expenses.

The snowmobiles are very plenty. Cars went by Sunday, four or five in a row with several of them on each trailer behind the cars.

I heard in a round about way of my cousin, Clarence Bennett's death at Portland, Maine, recently. He was the oldest son of Archibald and Nora Wilson Bennett and was born in Wentworth Location, N. H., on Jan. 19, 1897. He is survived by his widow, Betty, one son, Clarence Jr., two sisters, Mrs. Sybil Mulherin of Litchfield, and Mrs. Martha Bennett of Auburn, also a number of

## SUNDAY RIVER

**Mrs. R. M. Flael, Corres.**

Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Woytkum and their baby son, Eric, from Honolulu, Hawaii, are at his sister's, Mr. and Mrs. Tim LaVallee, for a few days.

Mrs. Frederick Burk and baby daughter, Monika Elke, are home from the hospital and doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim LaVallee and baby daughter, Janina, are to take part in the nativity program at Bethel.

John Harrington of Bethel, Franklin Harrington, called at Gerald Harrington's, Sunday.

Mrs. Janina LaVallee substituted at school for one of the teachers one afternoon this week.

If transportation and weather are good the Sunday River Sunday School would like very much to accept an invitation to join Bear River Sunday School on Dec. 18 at 7:30 for their Christmas program.

Our tree and closing program will be on Dec. 20 at 7:30 at the Sunday River school house. All are invited and welcome.

Mrs. Eva Yates and Russell Yates attended Grange meeting at South Paris Saturday evening.

David Daye of Bethel spent the week end with Bradley Harrington.

Nieces and nephews. He was buried in Portland. He was a veteran of World War I.

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## Years Ago

### 18 YEARS AGO

Superintendent of Schools Eric Schiberg was re-elected for a two year term at the annual meeting of School Union 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Carroll moved to the apartment of Mrs. Sylvia Conroy on Philbrook Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfield Howe were building a house on the Howard Pond Road at Halloway.

Guy P. Butler of Bethel Inn was elected president of the Maine Hotel Association.

### 28 YEARS AGO

The Bethel Players voted to sponsor a skating rink on the Common. Committee in charge was Charles Freeman, Francis Noyes and John Howe.

Miss Phyllis Smith of Bethel was chosen Apple Princess to represent Oxford Pomona Grange at State Grange.

Deaths: Rev. Herbert T. Wallace, Thurman H. Sendeninger, Miss Helen Barrows.

### 38 YEARS AGO

Temperatures ranged around zero during the first of December.

Walter A. Hawkins of Bridgton spoke on "The Value of a Sense of Humor" at a meeting of Bethel Union Teachers at the Gateway House (now Sudbury Inn).

Deaths: Miss Mae Wiley, Mrs. George Haines.

### 48 YEARS AGO

Five young people were killed at the Cummings crossing, Norway, when their car was struck by a train.

The barn connected with the Straw House, Bethel Inn Annex, was torn down.

### 58 YEARS AGO

Louis Van Den Kerckhoven went to Puerto Rico where he entered the employ of the Central Aguirre Sugar Co.

Mrs. Clifford Merrill purchased the Apple Lunch.

78 YEARS AGO  
Clyde Howe installed acetylene gas lights in his store.

Moses Mason purchased the Stearns property between the overhead bridge and the toll bridge (now Bridge Street) planning to divide it into home lots.

### BORN

In Fort Carson, Colo., Nov. 30, to Sgt. and Mrs. Brian A. Dean (Betsey Andrews of Bryant Pond), a son, Lance Arthur.

Dec. 1, to Mr. and Mrs. Alan Corkum of Bridgewater, Mass., a son, Timothy Alan.

### MARRIED

In Berlin, Nov. 27, by Rev. Howard McMullen Jr., Robert Spaulding of Benton and Miss Phyllis M. Little of Andover.

### DIED

In Sanbornville, N. H., Nov. 30, L. Webster Akers, native of Andover, aged 61 years.

In Portland, Dec. 1, Hamilton Reed Bailey of Vinalhaven, aged 66 years.

In Berlin, N. H., Dec. 3, Homer H. Hamlin, Sr., of Gorham, N. H., aged 78 years.

In Bethel, Dec. 5, Mary E. Howard, aged 25 years, and Lisa Mae Howard, aged five years.

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BROWNIE SCOUTS who were inducted Thursday in a ceremony at Walker, Sheila Gallant; second row, the Congregational Church. Left to right, front row, Lois Mason, Car-



ALL-STATE AUDITIONS — Thirteen Telstar music students will be traveling to Hallowell this Saturday to audition for the annual All-State Music Festival held in the spring. Auditioning for chorus will be Kathy Littlefield, Susan Davis, Cindy Tiff, Dorene Tibbels, David Lane, and

Dean Walker. Auditioning for band are Cathy Fluke, Lew Cobb, Tim Mills, Mike Davis, Randall Littlefield, Betsy Davis, and Sharon Dombkowski. Those accepted will go to the three-day April festival being held in Houlton this year.

### TELSTAR FACULTY VICTORIOUS IN BENEFIT GAME

The Telstar Faculty convincingly defeated the Gould Academy Faculty in the annual Dollars for Scholars Basketball game on Dec. 4. The final score was Telstar 72, Gould 34, although Gould fought hard. Phil Taylor, Tim LaVallee and Gerry Durkin, a student teacher from the University of Maine - Farmington, were stars for the winners, with Charlie Hurd Gould's most consistent asset.

In the first game the Junior High yellow team won over the blues by 24 to 22. This was an intensely hard fought game requiring two overtimes. It was settled by a sudden death basket by Larry Bennett.

Between halves of the Faculty Game Sam Bigelow, director of admissions at Gould Academy, in an imaginative and witty presentation inaugurated the Albert P. Bumpelbottom Memorial Trophy to be held on a yearly basis by the winning team. The trophy, a representative piece of modern sculpture, was donated, according to Mr. Bigelow, by a former Gould student for whose existence Mr. Bigelow is apparently the primary source. The Telstar Faculty captain, Phil Taylor, accepted this unique trophy on behalf of the victors.

The Christmas gift basket was awarded to Ray Juhl of 21 Main Street.

The game earned slightly over \$200 for Dollars for Scholars and Christmas basket donations totalled virtually an identical amount. Thanks to the generosity of the area businesses and the administration of the two schools a beginning has been made toward scholarship aid for the area's young people. In addition, Dollars for Scholars received \$125 last week from the Newry Mothers' Club, a very welcome gift.

Drew Webster and Bill Cousins courteously donated their services as referees.

Mrs. Daniel Hatch of Williamsburg, Va., is spending two weeks with her mother, Mrs. Henry Pilot.

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### SUNDAY FIRE

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Sweetser. She was married to George Howard. She was a member of the Bethel Mother's Club and the Bethel United Methodist Church. She graduated from Gould Academy in 1964.

Survivors besides her husband and mother are three brothers, Lloyd, Stewart, and James, all of Bethel; two sisters, Miss Roberta Sweetser, Bethel, and Mrs. Yvonne Robinson, Albany; her maternal grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Barnett, Bethel.

Lisa Mae was born Feb. 26, 1966 at Norway. She attended the Ethel Barnett School and the Bethel Methodist Church.

Surviving besides her father are her grandmother, Mrs. Esther Sweetser, and her great-grandmother, Mrs. Ethel Barnett, all of Bethel.

Double funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon, Dec. 8, at the Bethel Methodist Church with Rev. Frederick Bailey officiating. Burial will be at Riverside Cemetery in the spring.

### L. WEBSTER AKERS

Webster Akers of Sanbornville, N. H., died Tuesday, Nov. 30, 1971 at his home.

He was born at Andover, Jan. 6, 1890, the son of Lewis C. and Annie Andrews Akers. He was a graduate of Kents Hill Academy, and was a clerk for the Brown Co., until his retirement.

He was a 50 year member of Cabot Lodge, K. of P., of Andover.

He is survived by his widow, the former Ellen Hamlin; two daughters, Mrs. Edwin Merrill of Rochester, N. H., and Mrs. Edwin Dow of Anson, Maine. He had four grandchildren and one great-grandson; two sisters, Mrs. Erlon Merrill of West Bethel, and Mrs. Paul Head of West Bethel; two brothers, Victor H. and George G., both of Andover.

Services were held in Sanbornville, N. H., on Friday, Dec. 3. Committal services at the Woodlawn Cemetery in Andover in the Spring.

### DR. GILBERT KLIMAN SPEAKS AT GOULD FRIDAY, DEC. 10

Gould Academy welcomes to its campus on Friday evening, Dec. 10, Dr. Gilbert Kliman, Director of the Center for Preventive Psychiatry, located in White Plains, N. Y. Dr. Kliman has spoken on campus in previous years and has a son, Steven, a senior at Gould.

Dr. Kliman will be speaking Friday evening, Dec. 10 in Bingham Auditorium. The public is cordially invited. His topic will be "Preventive Psychiatry — Stopping Mental Illness Before It Starts".

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### HAMILTON BAILEY

Hamilton Reed Bailey, superintendent of schools of Vinalhaven and North Haven, died Wednesday, Dec. 1, 1971, at the Maine Medical Center, Portland, following a long illness.

He was born at Boston, Jan. 17, 1905, the son of George E. and Josephine Walker Bailey. He was graduated from Bridge Academy, Dresden, and Bates College, and received his master's degree from the University of Massachusetts and his LL.B. degree from American Extension University, Los Angeles, Calif. Mr. Bailey came to Maine to be superintendent of schools at Bethel and was a member of the Bethel Congregational Church, a member of the Bates College Club and a trustee of Bridge Academy, Dresden. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge of Dresden, Scottish Rite Bodies of Fall River, Mass., and Palestine Shrine Club of Providence, R. I. He was the immediate past president of the Vinalhaven Lions Club and a member of Marguerite Chapter, OES.

Survivors include his widow, the former Ellen Small, Vinalhaven; a daughter, Mrs. Virginia Olney, New York City; his mother, Mrs. Josephine Porter, Quincy, Mass., and a sister, Mrs. Charles Sargent, Gardiner.

Funeral services were held Saturday morning, Dec. 4, at the Union Church, Vinalhaven. Committal services were held at the Pine Grove Cemetery, Dresden.

### HOMER H. HAMLIN, SR.

Homer H. Hamlin, Sr., died at the Androscoggin Valley Hospital, Berlin, N. H., Friday, Dec. 3, 1971, after a brief illness.

He was born Dec. 8, 1892, at Gorham, N. H., the son of Charles O. and Lydia L. Blake Hamlin. Mr. Hamlin was educated in the Gorham schools and graduated from Gorham High School. He had resided in Gorham all of his life and was married to the former Olive E. Cole, who passed away in 1967.

He was a retired real estate broker, a member of the Gorham Alumni Association, a charter member and past president of the Gorham Rotary Club and an active Senior member.

A member of the Gorham Lodge No. 73, F. & A. M., North Star Lodge of Perfection, Lancaster, Evening Star Council, Colebrook, N. H., The N. H. Consistory, SPHS 32d degree, Nashua, N. H. He was a member and Senior Deacon of Gorham Congregational Church, and a veteran of World War I.

He is survived by three sons: Homer Jr., North Conway, N. H.;

### SPAULDING - LITTLEHALE

Miss Phyllis M. Littlehale, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Littlehale, Andover, became the bride of Robert Spaulding, Benton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Spaulding, on Nov. 27. The ceremony took place at the Benton Falls Congregational Church with Rev. Howard McMullen Jr. officiating at the double ring service.

Mr. and Mrs. George Gogan, Boston, were the attendants. Wesley Carter and Zalliso Carter were ushers.

The bride wore a street length white lace dress and carried a yellow rose. Her veil was elbow length.

Mrs. Gogan carried a colonial bouquet. Both mothers wore red carnation corsages.

At the reception Mrs. Catherine Owen cut the cake and Ellen Palmer dipped punch. Janice Palmer circulated the guest book. Sylvia Carter and Carol Littlehale had charge of gifts.

The bride was a 1970 graduate of Telstar Regional High School in Bethel and is employed in Fairfield. The groom graduated from Lawrence High School.

Guests attended from Andover, Dover-Foxcroft, Waterboro, Springvale, China, Waterville, Winslow, Skowhegan, Benton and New Hampshire.

The couple will reside at Benton Station.

Charles G. of Longmeadow, Mass.; Vernon H. of Nashua, N. H.; one brother, Charles A. Hamlin of Concord, N. H. and St. Petersburg, Fla.; two sisters, Mrs. Bernice H. Jewett of Gorham, N. H., Mrs. Helen B. Williston, St. Petersburg, Fla.; eight grandchildren, one great-grandchild, several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Gorham Congregational Church, the Rev. John K. Russell officiating. Burial was in the family lot at the Lory Cemetery, The Wilson funeral home, Gorham, N. H., was in charge of arrangements.

The American flag was presented to Homer Hamlin Jr.

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Mr. Gerardi will assume  
the State level in 1972.

Before becoming superintendent  
of S. A. D. 44 in July  
Gerardi had been a high  
school principal, administrator,  
and a superintendent in  
New Jersey.

A graduate of Sacred  
Heart School in Vineland, N. J.,  
he received his B. S. degree  
from the University of New  
Jersey State College, a Master's  
degree from the University of  
Massachusetts, and a Ph.D. from  
the University of New Jersey.

He has held local, county,  
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